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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
GROUP 1797  
PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Noriaki OKU, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/541,848

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Examiner: Thuan D. DANG

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For: METHOD FOR HYDROGENATING OLEFIN

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 6, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages. A Petition and payment for a three month extension of time are being filed herewith, making this Amendment due on or before Tuesday, September 8, 2009 (September 6, 2009 fell on a Sunday and Monday, September 7, 2009 was the Labor Day holiday). A Notice of Appeal is being filed concurrently, also.

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